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Title: Contact Element for Use in
Electroplating

Inventor(s): Peter Langheinrich

Examiner: Neil Abrams

Art Unit: 2839

Atty. Dkt.: 875-00

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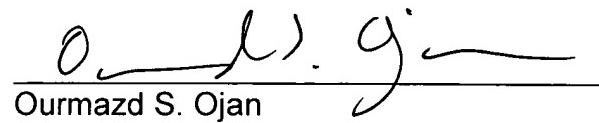
Sir:

Enclosed and attached hereto are the following:

- 1) Cover letter (2 pages in triplicate);
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Respectfully Submitted,


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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

Applicant(s): Peter Langheinrich

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Invention:

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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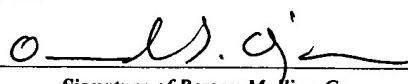


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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This communication supplements our response filed on January 26, 2004. As our response filed on January 26, 2004, was a bona fide response to the Office Action mailed on October 24, 2003, no period for response is currently running against applicant. Accordingly, no extension of time fee is believed to be due in connection with this supplemental amendment. In the event that additional fees are required with respect to this communication, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees, or credit any overpayment, to Paul & Paul deposit account number 16-0750.

Please amend the application as follows: